## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO WESTERN DIVISION

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Case No. 3:23-cv-01423-JJH

Plaintiffs,

Judge Jeffrey J. Helmick

v.

**DECLARATION OF DEREK WILSON** 

COOPER, ET AL.,

Defendants.

I, Derek Wilson, hereby declare as follows:

- 1. I am competent to testify and have personal knowledge of the matters set forth herein.
- 2. I am an attorney licensed to practice law in California and Arizona. I am the owner and managing attorney of the Law Office of Derek J. Wilson. I have represented Peter Wheeler ("Wheeler") in his litigation with Zermatt Holdings, LLC ("Zermatt") and WFA of San Diego, LLC ("WFASD") (collectively "Plaintiffs") since January 2022. I subsequently came to represent Martin Christopher Cooper ("Cooper").
- 3. On June 5, 2024, Hon. William McCurine, Ret., issued a Ruling on Respondents' Motion to Dismiss Claimants' Claim in Arbitration (the "Order"), in the arbitration styled *Peter Wheeler and Christopher Cooper v. WFA of San Diego, LLC and Zermatt Holdings, LLC* (Judicate West—San Diego Case No. A310089). A true and correct copy of the Order is attached as Exhibit A.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on June 12, 2024.

Derek Wilson